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GLOVES and MITTENS,
LAUNDRIED AND UNLAUNDRIED SHIRTS,
COLLARS AND CUFFS,
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To arrive, a variety of Corsets, including Dr. Warner's Flexible hip and
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These terrible diseases, so painful that they can be removed and the disease cured by Perry Davis'
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This remedy is not a cheap Benzine or Petroleum preparation that must be kept away from fire or heat to avoid danger of explosion, but is an entirely safe and untried experiment that may do more harm than good.
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I have used your PAIN KILLER for rheumatism, and have received great benefit.
Barton Seaman says:
Have used PAIN KILLER for thirty years, and have found it a never-failing remedy for rheumatism and lameness.
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Oct. 14, '79-1y

Poetical.

RECOMPENSE.

BY CARLOTTA PERRY.

The earth gives us treasure four-fold for all that we give to its bosom;
The care we bestow on the plant comes back in the bud and the blossom.

The sun draws the sea to the sky, oh, stillest and strangest of powers,
And returns to the hills and the meadows the glatness of bountiful showers.

The mother regains her lost youth in the beauty and youth of her daughters,
We are fed after many long days by the bread that we cast on the waters.

Never a joy do we cause but we for that joy are the gladder,
Never a heart do we grieve but we for the grieving are sadder

Never a slander so vile as the lips of the willing rehearser,
And curses, though long, loud and deep, come home to abide with the curser.

He who doth give of his best, of that best is the certainest user,
And he who withholds finds himself of his gaining the pitiful loser.

The flowers that are strewn for the dead bloom first in the heart of the living,
And this is the truest of truths, that the best of a gift is the giving.

PREPARING FOR THE FUTURE.

Yes, I am going to burn it. Her picture,
Which, held in a dainty gilt frame,
Has been on my mantel a fixture,
Goes under it, into the flame,
And one last farewell look, I am taking:
If ever I loved her, 'tis o'er,
And yet, at my heart is an aching,
To think I shall see this no more.

In this picture, how well I behold her,
Her bright eyes and pretty, sweet face,
Her white arm and one dimpled shoulder
Half lost in a soft cloud of lace;
The other plump shoulder just glancing
Through rich chestnut tresses is seen,
By Jove! 'tis a vision entrancing!
No wonder they call her "the queen,"
And all the young fellows adore her—
And some not so young, too, may be—
And he who has not knelt before her
Is thought an eccentric. Ah, me!
It really seems wicked and cruel,
To make of this rare gem of art,
That once I so prized, merely fuel
I turn the card o'er and my heart
Is steeled. There is written: "Thine ever,
With love, Araminta." That line
Seals the doom of the picture. It never
Must meet any eye, now, but mine.

So here goes the picture with sorrow,
So ends one sweet dream of my life,
For I am going to be married to-morrow,
And that picture, if kept, might make strife.
—*Chicago Tribune.*

TRICKS UPON JEWELERS.

"Of all the tricks, devices, subterfuges, sharp dodges, or deceptions I ever saw," said Jeweler Johnston to a reporter, "was one by which a sharp fellow stole from me three pairs of diamond earrings. He evidently knew when I was not in the store. He came in one day and said to one of my clerks:

"'Is Mr. Johnston in?'

"'No,' was the reply.

"'I am sorry for that,' he said. 'I wish to buy a pair of diamond earrings for my wife.'

"This was repeated on four or five successive days. The last time he said he would not wait to see me, but would look at some earrings. The clerk showed him an assortment, and he finally selected three pairs, valued at $450, and said: "I guess I will let my wife select from these. She will be at my store in an hour, and I want you to tell Mr. Johnston to bring these around himself, as he is acquainted with my wife."

"'All right, sir; I will,' replied the clerk.

"'By the way,' said the fellow, "if you will permit me, I will write a note to Mr. Johnson.'

"'Certainly,' said the clerk, who showed him to a desk and pointed out where he could get paper and envelopes. He sat down, wrote a short note, folded it and put it in an envelope and directed it to me. Then he went back to the counter and said to the clerk: 'I think you had better put the three pairs of earrings in here and I will seal them up so that Mr. Johnston will be certain to bring the right ones.'

"'Very well,' said the clerk, who handed out the three pairs of earrings and the fellow dropped them into the envelope before the clerk's eyes, and was apparently about to seal the envelope when he said suddenly:

"'Oh, I guess you may put in that other pair,' pointing to a pair which the clerk had laid on the shelf behind him. The clerk turned and got the other pair and handed them to the fellow, who dropped them apparently into the same envelope, sealed them up, handed them over and said: 'Let Mr. Johnston bring the four pairs to my store as soon as he comes back,' giving the address of a well-known store in the vicinity. Then he left, and the clerk laid the envelope on one side until I returned. Of course we found but one pair of diamond earrings in the envelope, which was the last pair dropped in. The other three pairs were paste, about the same size. The fellow had taken two of my envelopes, and into one had placed the three bogus pairs. When the clerk turned to get the fourth pair, the fellow had put the genuine in his pocket and substituted the others. We never saw him afterwards, but heard that he had practiced the same game in other places.

"Of course the imperative rule is to not let goods go out of your sight until you get the money. The trick of having goods sent to hotels and boarding houses with bills for collection is so stale that the undeviating rule is to keep your goods in sight. But a shrewd fellow once managed to get three watches from me by a clever dodge. A bright, sharp looking customer came in one day and said: 'I am from Ohio, and have a commission to buy some goods for my sister, who is to be married there.' He picked out a bill of $500 worth of various articles and said: 'Just send them around to my store in Broadway at 12 o'clock,' naming a well-known carpet store in Broadway. The goods were sent by a clerk, who found the customer apparently engaged in showing carpets, and perfectly at home. He recognized the clerk and said:

"'Ah! just step this way, and I will give you a check.' He went with the clerk to a desk, drew a check, and took the goods. He appeared to be so perfectly at home that the clerk had not the slightest suspicion. Of course the check was worthless, and we found that he had secured the desk privilege at the carpet store by pretending that he was buying a large stock of carpets among other purchases in the city. He fooled five jewelers in New York, and others in other cities.

Ancient Millionaires.

THE VANDERBILTS, JAY GOULDS AND AS TORS OF ANTIQUITY.

Thousands of men have envied Astor, Stewart, Vanderbilt, Mackey, Keene, Gould and the other fellows who can buy strawberries at one dollar per box; but the richest of them are mere vagrants when compared to some of the ancients. There was Ninus for instance. He was the son of Nimrod, the old hunter, who made lions scratch for holes and tigers take to ditches. Old Nim left his boy about £130,000,000 in cash, besides 120,000 cattle, a piece of land about as big as Arkansas and 14,000 likely slaves. There were no lawyers in those days who made a specialty of breaking wills, and young Ninus took possession and cast about for some plan to keep himself out of the poor house.

He was considered a poor young man, and had he been seen lugging his girl to an ice cream saloon or riding out in a lively rig his friends would have said he would bring up in a garret. By a lucky capture of territory from the Assyrians, together with 20,000 slaves, 125,000 cattle, ten wagon loads of silver and jewels, and a few other trifles, Ninus walked up the social ladder until big bugs asked after his wife and babies and he could lose three games of billiards without wondering if the owner of the saloon would take a "stand off." He was worth £350,000,000 when he died, and yet for the last five years of his life he went without mutton because the price had raised to three cents per pound.

The heiress with a $50,000 bank account considers herself some pumpkins, but what a three cent piece she would have been alongside of Queen Semiramis. She not only had the lucre left by Ninus, but in ten years she had increased it fourfold. Just multiply £350,000,000 by two, and you have the amount of her bank balance, to say nothing of jewels and clothing and furniture and palaces and slaves and cattle. Had she sold out and cleared up she could have drawn her little check for about £700,000,000. She didn't worry about where her spring bonnet was to come from, and when a new style of dress goods came out, she didn't sit up at nights for fear some neighbor would secure a pattern first. While she made it lively for her enemies she was soft on her friends. She gave her waiting maid £500,000 in a lump for dressing her hair in a new style, and she tossed the same amount to her dressmaker as a reward for the excellent fit fit of one particular dress. One day when she saw a poor old man traveling the highway on foot she presented him with 500 asses to ride on, and insisted on his accepting £50,000 to pay his toll and tavern bills.

Cyrus, king of Persia, from the year 538 to 580, had some little change to begin with, and in ten years he could draw his check for £690,000,000. He didn't haggle over the price of slaves when a man came to buy but presented him with 1,000. He at one time owned 30,000 horses, 40,000 cattle, 200,000 sheep and 15,000 asses and 25,000 slaves, and when he got tired of a palace costing £1,000,000 he gave it away to some poor washerwoman with seven children to support. He one day sat down to a dinner which had cost £30,000, and in the afternoon went on a £50,000 drunk. The police didn't run him in, or he would doubtless have insisted on paying a fine of £20,000 and presenting his honor with a corner house and lot in the toniest part of Babylon.

King Menes was another well heeled man. It was too much trouble to count his cash, and so he weighed it. One day when a friend asked him for the loan of a few dollars until Saturday night, he sent him a procession of sixty asses, each animal loaded with one hundred pounds of gold coin. He paid £100,000 for a bird that could whistle, the same for a trick dog and he had such a fondness for white oxen that he shelled out £50,000 apiece for them, and at one time had a drove of 2,000. When he got out with the boys he made things lively. During one spree in his city of Memphis he gave away £500,000 and didn't get drunk at that. At one time he had 600,000 gold chains, 1,000,000 finger rings, 10,000 costly swords, 300,000 daggers, and land only knows how many fish lines, jack knives, cork screws and tobacco boxes. His wife had £1,000,000 a year as pin money, and when his eldest son went up to Thebes to see the elephant he was followed by 500 friends, 1,000 slaves, 2,000 horses and £500,000 for fare, checks and beer money.

Crazed by Fright.

The New Orleans *Picayune* gives a serious warning to practical jokers. At 2 o'clock on a recent morning a gentleman left his club in that city with a friend, and, the latter returning for his cane, the former concealed himself in the bottom of the big box that holds the balancing weight of the elevator and is called a "lift case." The friend came back and went away disgusted at finding no trace of the jolly joker. The latter as he entered the lift case, had closed the door. He tried to open it but could not, for it opened without a key only from the outside. He laughed heartily to see the biter bit, until presently he heard a noise which he could not misinterpret. The lift was slowly falling down from the fourth floor. He, in groping for the door, had pulled the rope which set it free. Death stared him in the face, for that immense mass of iron would inevitably crush him as flat as a pan cake, and by a slow torture that would make dying seem an agony of horrors. He became frantic with fear. He flung himself against the door of his life-case as only despair could, he shrieked for help. His shrieks were heard by the janitor, who found him in a swoon and dragged him out when the lift was only fifteen feet off. A physician was summoned. Consciousness was restored. The unfortunate gentleman sprang to his feet, screamed incoherently, with wild gestures. He was crazy.

A BUSINESS MAN'S EXPERIENCE.

He could not tell what ailed him. He knew his digestion was poor and his heart palpitated. He felt his nervous system was shattered. He knew his urine was milky and ropy, but he had suffered from these disorders for years. Only of late had he began to feel himself completely exhausted and his nervous system shattered, and his constitution broken down. A friend recommended Brown's Iron Bitters. It suited his case exactly, and now he is as healthy, robust and strong as his heart could desire. Go thou and do likewise, then may you live long and be happy.—*Commercial.*

New Domestic Motor.

There has been within the past few years a demand for small motors both for the shop and the house. A large number of domestic motors have been brought out, but the greater part have apparently failed of general approval. Steam, air and gas engines of small size and low price are readily found, but, for domestic use, the fact that all require more or less skill in using them seems to prevent their general introduction. There is also at least one good water motor suitable for light work in the house. This is a simple overshot wheel, driven by a small stream of water from any house service where there is a moderate pressure or head of water. The wheel is hung vertically, and is enclosed in a casing supported by iron legs. A new form of water motor recently introduced suspends the wheel in the form of a thin metallic disk, at the end of a vertical shaft. From two to four streams may be directed against the cup-shaped vanes on the wheel, and, as the wheel is suspended freely, the waste water has plenty of room to escape below. The wheel is inclosed in a casing having a dishing shape below, with the outlet for the water in the middle, to prevent clogging or stopping of the wheel by excess of waste water. The motor is designed to be screwed directly to the faucet, and to discharge the waste water into the sink, or by a pipe into the house drain. The motor is made in several sizes, from a small machine of one sixteenth horse power, which can be carried easily in the hand, up to one horse power machines.

It may be remarked, in connection with this motor, that there is also a new steam motor connected on the same plan. A small jet of steam is thrown against the vanes of a wheel inclosed in a metallic casing. While this motor is theoretically wasteful of the steam, it has the advantage of great simplicity and entire safety. No special care is needed to run it, and these things may outweigh the waste of power that must follow from the use of steam in this manner.—*The Century Magazine.*

A Singular Ghost Story.

Previous to November 7, 1869, I always laughed at the bare idea of ghosts. I was staying in Brighton on the day mentioned, with some friends who were about to proceed abroad. Two ladies, a cousin, and myself went out to dine at Kemptown. It being a most charming moonlight night I told my friends I should prefer walking home to Brunswick square (the other end of the town). I accordingly proceeded on the seaside of the Esplanade. When just opposite the Bedford hotel a carriage and girl drew up along side the rails with two men on the box and an elderly lady inside.

I was greatly startled, as the wheels made no noise; but at once I took about half a dozen steps toward the carriage to see what it meant, when I distinctly recognized the occupant as my grandmother, whom I had left perfectly well at Cheltenham a few days before; also her coachman and footman on the box. I at once vaulted over the rails opposite the carriage. At the same moment it struck me as most out of the way that an old lady of 83 should bring all her belongings from Cheltenham to Brighton without informing her relations of the move. As I touched the ground I made one step forward to greet her, when to my horror the whole thing vanished.

When I recovered myself I went straight home and told the whole circumstances of the case. Of course, every one laughed at me, and told me that I was fortunate there were witnesses who could speak to my perfect sobriety. I was very put out, and hardly slept all night. Early next morning we received a telegram that my poor old grandmother had been found dead in her bed at 7½ that morning.

Auriol, the celebrated French clown, whose death was recorded a few days ago in the columns of the Parisian press, was a man of remarkable courage, coolness, and ready wit. During one of his professional tours in Russia he got into a terrible scrape, from which, however, his presence of mind enabled him extricate himself. He had been engaged, while in St. Petersburg, to perform at a private entertainment given by a wealthy nobleman resident in the Basil Island. It was in the depth of winter, and the Neva was frozen hard. Auriol dressed himself in his clown's costume at his lodgings, wrapped himself up in furs, hired a sledge and started for his destination, instructing his driver to take the short cut across the river. Probably tempted by Auriol's costly pelisse, the driver, a tall, powerful fellow, pulled up suddenly when about half way across, jumped down from his perch, and, letting fall the reins, turned toward his fare with menacing gestures. A moment's hesitation would, in all likelihood, would have cost Auriol his life; but he proved equal to the emergency. Throwing off his furs, and revealing himself to his would-be assailant in the motley garb of his profession, he sprang out of the sledge and proceeded to execute some of his most amazing gambols on the ice. Paralyzed with terror by so terrific an apparition, the driver made one ineffectual attempt to cross himself, staggered forward, and, with an agonized cry of "The fiend himself!" fell flat and motionless upon his face. Without further loss of time Auriol slipped on his furs, picked up the reins, jumped into the sledge, and drove off, safe and sound, to fulfill his engagement. Next morning the driver's corpse was found, stiff and stark, lying face downward on the frozen breast of Neva.

Mixed Missions and Catsup.

In making up his forms the foreman of a Montreal paper mixed an article on Roman Catholic Missions in Africa with a recipe for making tomato catsup. As published the article reads: "The Roman Catholics claim to be making material advances in Africa. During the past three years they have obtained a firm footing in the interior of the continent, and have sent forth several missionaries into the equatorial regions. They are accustomed to begin their work by buying heathen children and educating them. The easiest and best way to prepare them is to first wipe them with a clean towel; then place them in dripping pans and bake them until they are tender. Then you will have no difficulty in rubbing them through a sieve, and will save time by not being obliged to cut them in slices and cook for several hours."

Odd Items.

A man is known by the company he keeps out of.

Kentucky kicks the miracle beam with an eight-legged mule.

The rations on which a poet's brains is fed—Inspirations.

No remedy has been found for fever and ague which proves so uniformly successful as Ayer's Ague Cure.

Musket loading is more honored in the breech than in the ramrod nowadays.

Paradoxical—The best time to catch soft water is when it is raining hard.

A petrified egg has been found in Colorado. Who can beat this?

FATHER OF DISEASES.

Constipation has been called the father of diseases, therefore it should not be regarded as a trifling ailment. It is quite as necessary to remove impure accumulations from the bowels as it is to eat or sleep, and no health can be expected where a costive habit of body prevails. Take a half tablespoonful of Simmon's Liver Regulator after each meal, the bowels will be gently moved without griping or nausea, as naturally as if no medicine had been taken. Regularity in taking the medicine daily will soon effect a permanent cure.

Ambitious Man—Is there any fixed rule for writing poetry? There is! Don't.

It is well to point out that the man who goes about solely to kill time should confine himself strictly to his own time.

FOUND AT LAST.

What every one should have and never be without, is Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It is thorough and safe in its effects, producing the most wondrous cures of rheumatism, neuralgia, burns, bruises and wounds of every kind.

Did you ever think how much pleasanter it must be to be shot dead than shot living.

Sweely truthfully remarks that Cæsar had his Brutus, Charles I. his Cromwell and America has her "Uncle Tom's Cabin" companies.

A RENOVATING REMEDY

Is to be found in Burdock Blood Bitters. As an antidote for sick headache, female weakness, biliousness, indigestion, constipation, and other diseases of a kindred nature. These bitters are invaluable. Price $1.00, trial size 10 cents.

Susan B. Anthony wants the name of the Pullman cars altered either to Pullman-and-woman or Pull irrespective-of-sex cars.

TRIUMPHANT.

Mrs. Seighied, Marion, O., says Thomas' Eclectric Oil was triumphant in her case; she used it for a severe cold and pain inside, and was relieved in a few minutes.

Singular unanimity: The Czar says he is ready to meet death whenever it comes. It may not be out of place in this connection to say that death is ready to meet the Czar wherever he goes.

St. Louis newspaper editorials are made as brief as possible, in order to let the compositors off early. Here is a sample: "The editor of the Kansas City *Journal* is a liar."

BRANDY, WINE AND BITTERS.

Speer's P. J. Brandy, Port Grape Wine and Wine Bitters have an extensive and reliable demand. Physicians recommend them in preference to any other goods of the kind. Speer's vineyards at Passaic, New Jersey, are twelve miles from New York, and his wine was awarded the highest premium at the Centennial. For sale by C. A. Kleim, druggist, Bloomsburg, Pa.

Waco is threatened with another daily paper. The names of the suspected parties are suppressed on account of their families.

The petrified clams recently discovered on the New Jersey coast are preferred to the other kind, because they are more easily digested. So says the Judge, the new comic paper.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

BALTIMORE, MD., Feb. 12th, 1881.

Upon the recommendation of a friend, I tried Brown's Iron Bitters as a tonic and restorative for my daughter, whom I was thoroughly convinced was fast wasting away in consumption. Having lost three daughters by the terrible disease, under the care of eminent physicians, I was loth to believe that anything could arrest the progress of the disease; but to my surprise, before my daughter had taken one bottle of Brown's Iron Bitters, she began to mend and is now quite restored to her former health. A fifth daughter began to show signs of consumption, and when the physician was consulted, he quickly said: "Tonics were required." And when informed that the elder was taking Brown's Iron Bitters, respon ded, "That is a good tonic, take it." Adoram Phelps, of Askey & Phelps.

A church choir consists of one accomplished musician and a lot of other folks who are densely ignorant of music. The accomplished one is the member you are talking with.

An Illinois man, with a foresight worthy of a better cause, popped the question on a railroad train, and now the maiden is at a loss to decide as to which county she had better commence proceedings in for a breach of promise.

At a popular restaurant a clumsy waiter spills a plate of soup over the overcoat of a guest. Fury and desolation of the guest.

The waiter, calmly glancing at the clock: "It's all right, sir! Don't worry! It's 7:45, and our soup doesn't grease anything after seven!"

A scholar in one of Binghamton's public schools, who had "been over the map of Asia," was reviewed by his teacher, with the following result:

Teacher—"What is geography?"

Scholar—"A big book."

Teacher—"What is the earth composed of?"

Scholar—"Mud."

Teacher—"No; land and water."

Scholar—"Well, that makes mud, don't it?"

Teacher—"What is the shape of the earth?"

Scholar—"Flat."

Teacher—"You know better; if I should dig a hole through the earth, where would I come out?"

Scholar—"Out of the hole."

It Will "Out."

In the reign of Louis XIV. a certain brilliant abbe was one of a large party who had assembled round the royal supper table. There were clever talkers, sharp dealers in epigram, skillful bandiers of compliments and repartee. One lady, famous for her wit, being asked to name the three sights that gave her the greatest pleasure, replied: "A great general on a war horse, a great preacher on a platform, and a great thief on a gallows." The abbe added to the mirth of the evening by telling of the adventures of a gay and memorable career. "I remember," he said, "very well, the first penitent who ever came to my confessional. I was young then, and little accustomed to hear the secrets of court life. It was a murderer who told me the secret of his crime." The abbe was

The Columbian.

O. E. ELWELL,
J. K. ...NDER, } Editors.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Friday, Dec., 9, 1881.

The Guiteau trial has been full of startling surprises, not the least of which was the placing of the murderer, alleged to be insane, on the witness stand to prove his own insanity.

The politics of the House chaplain would seem to be a matter of small moment, but in the eyes of some of the Republican Congressmen it amounts to much more than his piety.

Fraud in the Tax Office, fraud in the Gas Trust and fraud in the Alms House at Philadelphia, but the people do not get an opportunity to punish the offenders. Ringsters in the Councils stand in the way and protect the thieves.

Mr. David Mouart is now under indictment in Philadelphia for frauds upon the ballot box. A little thing like that, has no weight, however, in the ward wherein he resides, as he has just been elected a member of the School Board of the ward. Great city, Philadelphia.

John Cessna, who was defeated for judge in the Somerset district at the recent election, will it is said contest the election of Judge Baer. The ground assigned is that at certain places votes were received for Baer, without asking all the questions prescribed by law. How very like Cessna. If such a petty claim as that is allowed, it will be strange indeed.

The Postmaster General has issued an order to take effect after January 1st, revoking section 171 of the Postal Regulations, which provides for the redemption of postal cards that may be spoiled in the hands of private parties by printing or otherwise. After the date named postmasters must not redeem postal cards under any circumstances whatever.

Preparations are making to build a mill in Minneapolis, Minn., capable of making two million four hundred thousand barrels of flour per annum. It will require ten millions bushels of wheat to keep it in operation three hundred days each year, and the value of its annual products will be $14,000,000.

The other day at San Francisco, when Moses Hopkins was appointed administrator of the estate of Mark Hopkins, estimated at $6,500,000, and the court intimated that a bond in $13,000,000 would be required with $26,000,000 in securities behind it; Mr. Hopkins casually remarked: "All right, Judge, I'll bring it up in the morning. I haven't got the change with me or I'd fix it up now."

The Secretary of the Treasury in his annual report to Congress suggests that the coinage of silver be suspended. One hundred millions of silver dollars have been coined and sixty six millions of this amount remain in the vaults of the treasury—just two thirds of the total coinage. The Secretary is of opinion that the United States can pay their obligations in gold. The silver dollars are nuisances and their abolition would meet with popular approval.

There are no less than sixteen contested seats in Congress, and all but three of the contestants are Republicans. In almost every case the Democratic majority in each district runs into the thousands. Evidently the Republicans are afraid of their slender majority in the House, and intend if possible to increase it by ousting legally elected members. In any event a large bill of expense will be laid upon the people.

Judge Noah Davis, of New York, in charging the jury in the case of a Mrs. Coleman, charged with murder, made use of the following language, which applies with great pertinency to the case of Guiteau:

> No imaginary inspiration to do a personal and private wrong under a delusion, a belief that some great public benefit would flow from it, when the nature of the act done and its probable consequences and that it is in itself wrong are known to the actor, can amount to that insanity which in law disarms the act of criminality. Under such notions of legal insanity life, property and rights, both public and private, would be altogether insecure; and every man who, by brooding over his wrongs, real or imaginary, shall work himself up to an irresistible impulse to avenge himself or his friends or his party, can with impunity become a self-elected judge, jury and executioner in his own case for the redress of his own injuries or the imaginary wrongs of his friends, his party or his country. But happily that is not the law; so, whenever such ideas of insanity are applied to a given case at the law (as too often they have been), crime escapes punishment, not through the legal insanity of the, accused but through the emotional insanity of courts and juries.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

President Arthur's message to Congress was published on Wednesday. It is a very long but not remarkable document, touching lightly upon those topics most deserving of vigorous comment. The message opens with an allusion to the death of Garfield, couched in graceful terms, and then treats at some length of our foreign relations. There is nothing of much moment in this except mention of the apprehension felt at the continued war between Chili, Peru and Bolivia. The abolition of all internal revenue taxes is recommended, except upon tobacco, distilled spirits and fermented liquors. The President thinks it doubtful whether the taxes on liquor and tobacco should be reduced just at present, but believes they may be soon. The increase of enlisted men in the army to 30,000 is recommended. This does not look like retrenchment. The popular demand is for the sweeping away of all internal revenue taxation and a reduction of public expenses wherever practicable. With a surplus in the treasury of one hundred and thirty millions, it is idle to assert that a decrease of expenditures is not possible. The passage of acts to break up the tribal relations of Indians and allot land in severalty, is recommended. The message speaks sharply against polygamy and suggests that certificates of marriage in the territories be filed in the supreme court of the territory. There are some very pretty sentiments expressed regarding civil service reform but as there is no intention on the part of either the administration or the Republican majority in Congress to pay any heed to the suggestions, it is hardly worth while to specify them. The message would occupy about eight columns of the COLUMBIAN, but the main points have been mentioned. It is a state paper that apart from its grammatical accuracy and well worded sentences will not rank high except that it bears evidence of being the personal work of the President, and expresses his own views.

Marshal Henry, of the District of Columbia, says that the Guiteau trial will cost the government $150,000.

What Mahone Intends Doing in Virginia.

In an interview with the New York *Times*, Mahone very freely expresses the programme of the readjusters. After electing Riddleberger to the United States Senate, the next thing they will do will be to pass the Riddleberger debt bill. This bill which scales the debt of Virginia from $31,000,000 to $20,000,000 he says is as good as passed already, as the people unmistakably expressed themselves in favor of readjustment on this basis in the last campaign. Mahone says the friends of the bill will not discuss it, but after the "Bourbons" have talked against it as much as they please, the Legislature will fix a day for taking it up and passing it. When the debt bill is passed the next thing, according to Mahone, is the repeal of the capitation tax, so that there will be no longer a tax qualification for voting in Virginia. The judges of the supreme court who are to decide upon the readjustment law "will be appointed early, and when all this is done," Mahone says, "the Bourbon party in Virginia won't have a leg to stand on." This is a very interesting programme and is especially edifying to the "honest money Republicans" of the North who supported Mahone as the advocate of "a grand and beneficent political reform."

THE ASSASSIN'S TRIAL.

The cross-examination of Guiteau by Judge Porter continued through Thursday and Friday. The prisoner was by times irascible and sulky and made a most unfavorable impression. His intense egotism was displayed to a greater extent than ever before, but beyond the excessive desire for publicity there was nothing to show his insanity. At one time he became furiously excited and denounced Secretary Blaine. He was allowed all possible freedom, and wound up by stating with a shout, that he believed Blaine was morally responsible for Garfield's death.

On Saturday, Emory A. Storrs, the famous Chicago lawyer, was on the stand for the defense. He testified that he "never saw anything in Mr. Guiteau to indicate that he could not distinguish between right and wrong," and that he "never saw anything to indicate that he would not be responsible for crime." This so exasperated Guiteau's sister that she said "He has perjured himself; that is all there is about it." Senator Davis was next placed upon the stand. He was examined as to the disagreement between President Garfield and Senator Conkling. He thought that the Republican party could only be destroyed by disrupting the Democratic party. Judging from the Senator's recent acts, we should imagine that he had tried his level best to smash both parties.

On Monday, medical experts were examined. Their testimony rather leaned towards the prisoner's insanity. Guiteau at one criticism of his political speech, said that he had "rather be hanged as a man, than acquitted as a fool." The public earnestly hope that he may not be acquitted.

THE MEETING OF CONGRESS.

On Saturday last the Republican representatives in Congress, held a caucus for the nomination of speaker, and other officers of the House. For Speaker the candidates were, Frank Hiscock, of New York; James W. Keifer, of Ohio; John A. Kasson, of Iowa; Mark H. Dunnell, of Minnesota; Godlove S. Orth, of Indina; J. C Burrows of Michigan, and Thomas B. Reed of Maine. There was a sharp struggle, and it was not until the sixteenth ballot that Mr. Kiefer had enough votes to effect his nomination. He is of the Stalwart faction. Edward McPherson was chosen Clerk, George W. Hooker, Sergeant-at-arms, Walter P. Brownlow, doorkeeper, Henry Sherwood, postmaster and Rev. F. D Power, chaplain. The Democratic members nominated the following officers: For Speaker, Samuel J. Randall, of Pennsylvania; for Clerk, George M. Adams, of Kentucky; for Sergeant-at arms, John G. Thompson, of Ohio; for doorkeper, Charles W. Field, of Georgia; for postmaster, A. W. C. Noulin, of Virginia; for chaplain, W. P. Harrison, of the District.

The Greenbackers nominated a full set of officers.

At the meeting of the House on Monday, the Republican caucus nominees were elected without delay. Three of the Pennsylvania members voted against McPherson at first, but were subsequently whipped into the traces. On calling the roll 290 members answered to their names. Eight Democrats were absent, but all the Republicans were in their seats. The usual committee was appointed to wait upon the President and inform him that the House was ready to receive communications.

The Senate was called to order by Senator Davis, president pro tem. The credentials of Senator-elect William Windom, of Minnesota, were read, and he took his seat. The Senate then proceeded to business and a large number of bills were introduced.

No business of importance was transacted in either house on Tuesday. Senator Cameron however found time to introduce a resolution in favor of the abolition of internal revenue taxes.

News Items.

John Hillard, president of the Mechanics' and Laborers' Bank, of Jersey City, which suspended November 27, has been convicted of conspiracy to defraud and sentenced to eighteen months in the State prison. James Donnel, secretary, and Dr. Charles O'Callohan, director, were sentenced to pay a fine of $500. Sentence was suspended on the convicted directors.

IMPORTANT TO TRAVELERS—Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue. March 18 40-w

An old lady named Mrs. McCarthy and a Mrs. Reed were burned to death in bed, at Scranton last week.

Sylvester F. Wilson, a railroad scalper, was fined $500 and sent to jail for one year, by a Philadelphia judge last Friday.

Alderman Tucker, Boston, says you may state that I have paid for medicine and treatment in 20 years $3,000, without receiving permanent benefit. Entirely cured of his disease (salt rheum) by Cuticura Remedies.

According to reports received by the National Board of Health, small-pox prevails at Pittsburg, Richmond, Philadelphia, Brooklyn and Chicago. Twenty-eight deaths from the disease are reported to have occurred in the latter city during the last week in November.

Secretary Lincoln in his annual report, endorses Gen. Sherman's recommendation that the army be increased to 30,000. The estimates amount to less than $30,000,000.

The Central Pennsylvania Dental Association will hold its next semi-annual meeting at Tyrone, January 4, 1882. Dr. J. C. M. Hamilton, of Tyrone, is president of the association.

[Pottstown Daily Ledger.]

A Michigan journal relates the following: Amos James, Esq., proprietor of the Huron House, Port Huron, Mich., suffered so badly with Rheumatism that he was unable to raise his arm for three months. Five bottles of St. Jacobs Oil cured him entirely.

Sale of a Railroad.

Some months ago the North and West Branch railroad, or what there was of it, was put up at Sheriff's sale in Bloomsburg, and was knocked down to Mr. Charles Parrish and others. With his accustomed push Mr. Parrish at once entered actively upon the construction of the road. It had lain for years waiting for some party to take hold of it. Efforts had been made time and again to get the Pennsylvania Railroad Company interested in the building of it, but they held aloof, thinking that there was no use paying a large sum of money to get it in their possession when eventually it would drop in their laps like a ripe plum. But after the Bloomsburg sale and the subsequent work done in grading and constructing the new line, the Pennsylvania management saw that the time for delay had passed. Their first step was to place obstacles in the way of the building of the road around the narrows at Nanticoke. The courts were appealed to and the Pennsylvania Co. were compelled to allow a passage over their lands. Soon after this, negotiations were opened for its purchase, and in a short time the bargain was made and a controlling interest in the line was transferred to the Pennsylvania company. Mr. Charles Parrish retains a large share in the road, and will continue to take an active part in its direction and management. A large force of men will be kept at work and by the first of next August the road will be opened to Wilkes-Barre and ready for travel. It has been rumored on the streets that an agent of the Pennsylvania company had purchased the Jennings property on the corner of Canal and Market streets for a depot, freight houses and so forth, but it is not correct. That company has not purchased any property in this city.—*Wilkes-Barre Union-Leader.*

Court Proceedings.

The regular December session of the courts opened on Monday, the 5th inst., all the Judges present.

Constables' returns taken and list of grand jurors called. Gera Hower appointed foreman.

R. Harris and E. Shutt appointed tipstaves.

Commonwealth vs. Rudolph Kester. Nol. pros. allowed on payment of costs.

Commonwealth vs. James Kessler. Nol. pros. allowed on payment of costs.

G. H. Goodman vs. C. F. Harder. Case stated. Opinion filed, giving judgment for defendant.

Stillwater Lodge vs. G. H. Pennington, et. al. Opinion filed; judgment for plaintiff.

J. B. Robison vs. C. I. Thomas, et. al. Opinion filed.

P. D. Black's use vs. G. Hartman. Judgment for defendant.

Estate of Jacob Bomboy. Opinion filed.

William Schechterly vs. E. W. Souder. New trial granted.

Road in Benton near J. Allegar's. Viewers report against vacating road.

Report of sale in estate of Jacob Evans confirmed nisi.

The following auditor's reports were filed and confirmed nisi: In the estates of David Davis, John Raup, D. W. Robbins, J. W. Hibbs, Joseph Henrie, Jonas Wright, Anthony Snyder, Samuel Shaffer, George Reiswick, Jacob Clewell, Thomas Davis, John Beisbline, H. D. Appleman, David Shaffer, John Ent and John Laycock.

Inquisition on body of John L. Beaver approved by the Court.

Register's accounts and widow's appraisements confirmed nisi.

Return of inquest in estate of Joseph Hartzel; also in estate of Mary M. Hartzel, confirmed nisi.

Solomon Bredbender vs. Louisa Bredbender. Petition for divorce renewed.

Return of partition in estate of J. P. Craig confirmed nisi.

Report of sale in estate of G. H. Wells, confirmed nisi.

Road in in Jackson and Benton townships, near B. Savage's. Jesse Fritz, H. C. Hess and Cyrus McHenry appointed viewers.

Report of reviewers on Catawissa school lot, confirmed nisi.

Report of reviewers of road in Greenwood township, near Friends' meeting house, confirmed nisi.

Commonwealth vs. F. P. Evans. Assault and battery. A true bill.

Commonwealth vs. Henry Williams and George Brewer. Larceny. A true bill.

Report of viewers of road in Scott, near Reece Fairman's, confirmed nisi. against road.

Report of sale in estate of Rebecca Vanderslice confirmed nisi.

S. J. Pealer, John Wenner and Lewis M. Creveling appointed viewers of a road in Jackson and Sugarloaf.

Report of viewers of road in Madison, near T. C. Wilson's, confirmed nisi.

Report of rereviewers of road in Beaver, near Shuman's mill, confirmed nisi.

Report of viewers of a road in Fishingcreek, near B. Albertson's, confirmed nisi.

Report of of viewers of of a road in Catawissa, near paper mill, against road, confirmed nisi.

Report of bridge inspectors in Jackson, near Derr's, approved.

Report of bridge inspectors in Sugarloaf, near John Cole's, approved.

Report of bridge inspectors in Sugarloaf, near D. Lewis', approved.

Return of partition in estate of E. Wenner, confirmed nisi.

Return of partition in estate of John Giger, confirmed nisi.

Report of sale in estate of Thomas Creveling, jr. confirmed nisi.

Report of sale in estate of Jared Harrison, confirmed nisi.

Report of sale in estate of J. C. Parker, confirmed nisi.

Auditor's report in estate of G. W. Yeager, confirmed nisi.

Report of partition in estate of Jane Kitchen, confirmed nisi.

Report of viewers of road in Greenwood, near Thomas Watters, in favor of road, confirmed nisi.

Report of sale in estate of Parvin Eves, confirmed nisi.

Order of sale in estate of R. M. Eck, continued.

Exceptions filed to return of sale in estate of P. Michael.

Clinton Mellick appointed guardian of Harriet L. Mellick.

Report of reviewers of road in Fishingcreek near Philip Appleman's, confirmed nisi.

Petition awarded in estate of Mary Colley.

Samuel Knorr appointed trustee for Margaret A. Baker.

Sale ordered in estate of James Wolf.

I. S. Kuhn appointed guardian of minor children of O. D. S. Barclay.

Dec. 6, Auditor's report in estate of Daniel Neyhard, confirmed nisi.

Commonwealth vs. R. F. Howell. Fornication and bastardy. Case tried. Verdict guilty.

Report of auditor in estate of D. W. Robbins referred back for further consideration.

In matter of sale of real estate of Sarah Haffey, money paid into court by the Sheriff.

Gen. Judson Kilpatrick, Minister to Chili, died on Sunday last in Santiago.

A FRIEND IN NEED.

Time over and again Thomas' Eclectric Oil has proved a salutary friend to the distressed. As a reliable curative for croup in children, sore throat and bronchial affections, and as a positive external remedy for pain, it is a never failing antidote.

A bold thief entered the Commercial National bank, Cleveland, Ohio, on Saturday and walked off with a box containing $117,000 in bonds, from which D. O. Eells, president of the bank, had been cutting the compons.

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Real Estate!

In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned administrator, cum testamento annexo, of Peter Appleman, late of Benton township, deceased, will expose to public sale, at the Exchange Hotel, Benton, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31th, 1881,

All that portion of the following described TRACT OF LAND, in Benton township, Columbia county, bounded as follows: On the north by lands of R. L. F. Colley, J. F. Chaplin and A. Wilkinson, on the west by lands of Eli McHenry, John E. Appleman and Peter Lautsch, on the south by lands of William Bulme and Margaret Buldine, and on the east by lands of Reuben H. Davis and Stott E Colley, containing EIGHTY-EIGHT ACRES, more or less, whereon are erected a two-story FRAME HOUSE, Bank Barn, wagon house and other out-buildings. Only that portion lying on the west side of Fishingcreek will be sold.

Also, all that tract of land situate in Benton township, bounded on the west by lands of Rebecca Conner, on the north by lands of the heirs of Thomas Davis, deceased, at of J. F. Chaplin, on the south by lands of Ezekiel Cole, containing EIGHTEEN ACRES, more or less, unimproved land.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent of one-fourth of the purchase money shall be paid at the striking down of the property; the one fourth less the ten per cent, at the confirmation absolute, and the remaining three-fourths in one year after confirmation nisi, with interest from that date.

I. K. KRICKBAUM,
Administrator, &c.,
dec. 8-4t Cambra, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF CATHARINE BRINK, DECEASED.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Catharine Brink, late of Benton township, Columbia county deceased, have been granted to the Register of said county to I. K. Krickbaum, Cambra, executor. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned executor, without delay.

I. K. KRICKBAUM,
Executor,
dec. 9-6w Cambra, Pa.

TO TAX COLLECTORS.

An Act of the Legislature, and approved June 2nd, 1881, (see Pamphlet Laws, page 451) requires tax collectors to make returns of seated and unseated lands to the County Commissioners before the first of January next. Lands upon which no property can be found from which to make taxes from those who fail to make returns by said day will be held for such loss. Taxes so returned become a lien against the property so returned. We have blank s on which these returns are to be made, and will furnish them upon application of collectors.

JOHN B. CASEY,
Commissioners' Clerk.

Commissioners' Office, Bloomsburg, Dec. 5, 1881.
dec. 9-4w

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Centralia M. S. F. Association, vs. Sarah Haffey administratrix. | In the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county No. 159 Sept., Term, 1878, Sheriff's sale. Money in Court.

Notice is hereby given that the auditor appointed in the above stated case to distribute the fund in court to and among the parties thereto entitled will attend at his office, at Bloomsburg, Thursday, January 12th, 1882, at 10 o'clock a. m., for that purpose, when and where all persons having claims upon said fund are requested to present them or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

JOHN M. CLARK,
dec 9 4-w Auditor.

ESTRAY COW.

Came to the premises of the undersigned in Mifflin township, November 14th, 1881, a small dark brindle cow, about seven years old. The owner will call, pay charges and take her away or she will be disposed of according to law.

URIAH SPADE.
Mifflin, Nov. 29th, 1881. dec. 2-3w

NOTICE.

The stockholders of the Briarcreek Farmers' Mutual Insurance Company, of Lime Ridge, will meet at the office of Samuel Neyhard, Esq., in Centre township, Columbia county, Pa., on Monday, the 9th day of January, 1882, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for transacting such other business as may properly come before said company.

SAMUEL NEYHARD,
Secretary.
Dec. 2, 81-3w

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH GABLE, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Elizabeth Gable, late of Catawissa township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to Franklin Gable, of Catawissa township, administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned Administrator, without delay.

FRANKLIN GABLE,
Catawissa.
Dec 9 4-w Administrator.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM DANIELS DECEASED.

Letters of administration on the estate of William Daniels, late of the town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present them for settlement and those indebted to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.

J. W. McKELVY,
Administrator,
Dec 9 6-w

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ROBERT M. HARTZEL, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Robert M. Hartzel, late of Main township, Columbia county, Penna, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to Joseph A. Hartzel, administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrators without delay.

JOSEPH A. HARTZEL,
nov. 18 6-w Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF MARTHA SHUMAN, DECEASED.

Letters of administration on the estate of Martha Shuman, late of Main twp, Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present them for settlement and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.

WM. K. SHUMAN,
Administrator.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in Bloomsburg, at two o'clock p. m., on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10th, 1881.

The following described real estate situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, as the property of Samuel H. Jacoby, bounded on the north by lot of C. W. Miller, on the east by East street, on the south by lot of Florence Donohue and Seventh street, and on the west by an alley, on which are erected a two-story brick dwelling house, two-story frame dwelling house, frame shop and other out-buildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of Louisa Gross against Samuel H. Jacoby and to be sold as the property of Samuel H. Jacoby.

MILLER, Attorney. Fi. Fa.

ALSO.

All that certain lot of ground situate in Orangeville, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, containing ninety-nine and eight-tenths square perches of land strict measure, bounded and described, as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a corner on line of land formerly of Henry D. Walker, thence by said line north sixty-five and a half degrees west two and eighty-hundredths chains to a corner, thence by land formerly of Jacob Harman and free school lot north thirty and one-half degrees east two and twenty-four hundredths chains to a corner, thence by land of Mary Martz, Emily Kline and others south sixty-four and a half degrees east two and eighty-three hundredths perches to a post, thence by land of the said Henry D. Walker south thirty-two degrees west two and twenty-hundredths chains to the place of beginning, on which are erected a two-story frame building known as the "Orangeville Male and Female Academy."

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MILLER, Attorney. Vend. Ex.
U. H. ENT,
Nov. 18-ts Sheriff.

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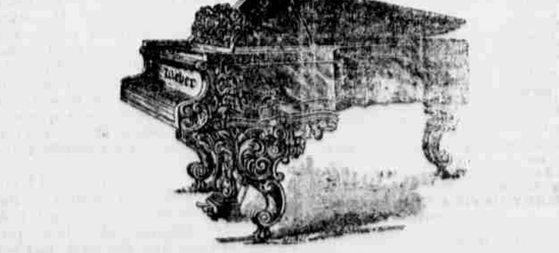

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BLOOMSBURG, FRIDAY DEC., 9, '81

SECURE YOUR TICKETS

For Eli Perkins' lecture at Dentler's store, first door below Exchange Hotel, or from any member of the committee. Persons out of town can have seats reserved by corresponding with the Secretary, John C. Yocum, Bloomsburg, Pa. Tickets, 25, 35 and 50 cents.

There has not been a large attendance at Court this week.

W. H. Smith has sold his interest in the Milton *Argus* and retires from the paper.

Eli Perkins will certainly be at the Opera House on the evening of December 15.

The largest assortment of Christmas goods to be found at the People's Drug and Book Store.

Tartan plaids and Roman stripes are conspicuous among the late importations of winter goods.

Wild turkeys are reported numerous in the mountains this year. None of them find their way to our markets, however.

Princeton College Lecture Bureau says: "Mr. Perkins as a humorous lecture has no equal. He is inimitable."

If you wish to "laugh and grow fat," go and hear Eli Perkins at the Opera House, December 15.

The Columbia Fire Company of Allentown have presented the Winonas with one of their belts.

Call at the People's Drug and Book Store if you wish to see a fine line of Holiday goods.

Envelopes by the thousand, box, or package, printed or blank, for sale at the COLUMBIAN office.

One of the neatest and most acceptable Christmas presents for a young lady would be a pack of our fine calling cards. We have also some beautiful New Year's cards.

Keep your family supplied with "Sellers Cough Syrup." Use it in time; you will avert bronchial and pulmonary affections. 25 cents.
dec.

Again, we promise our readers that very few contracts for medical advertisements will be accepted by us after the present ones expire, and the space will be filled with reading matter.

It is claimed that a Chester mechanic has invented a new straw binder, which will cut and bind the grain with bands of straw, and thus do away with all wire and twine bands.

Popular poems by popular authors at the People's Drug and Book Store.

The Treasurer of the Normal School at his office, H. J. Clark & Son's store, will pay coupons on outstanding bonds, including No. 15.
H. J. CLARK.
dec. 2-2w Treas.

One day last week George Williams, of this place, shot a rabbit, back of Bald Top, that weighed, when dressed, six pounds and one-quarter. The largest we have heard of this season.—*Danville Record.*

All persons attending court will have the privilege of hearing Eli Perkins, as court will adjourn that evening in time for the lecture. Don't forget the date, December 15.

The members of Winona Hose Company gave a ball in their hall, on Tuesday evening. Dancing was kept up until a late hour and all who were present enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

It would be well for our people to keep a sharp watch for suspicious characters that may come to town. Several gangs of thieves are committing depredations in neighboring towns and may find their way here.

On Monday morning while Johnny Connor of Fountain Spring, was out hunting near that place he shot and killed a white weasel. This is the only animal of this kind that has been seen hereabouts for many years.—*Miltonian.*

Photograph albums in morocco, plush, leather and cloth, to be had at the People's Drug and Book Store.

Elisha Ringrose of Centre captured a deer week before last, without the aid of gun or dog. The animal ran into the creek and broke through the ice, when Mr. Ringrose caught it and after a lively tussle succeeded in disabling it with a pocket knife.

[Atchinson Champion.]

NO BENEFIT.

An Indiana newspaper, thus writes: Mr. Geo. F. Helderic, of Peru, Ind., says that he had suffered very much with rheumatism and used many remedies without benefit. He found the desired relief in St. Jacobs Oil.

Hon. W. P. Withington, a prominent lawyer of Northumberland county and formerly a member of the legislature, died at his home in Shamokin on Saturday night last. Mr. Withington was well known here, but has not visited the town frequently of late years.

Everybody says the People's Drug and Book Store has the finest line of Christmas goods in town.

The new counterfeit silver dollar is pronounced the best ever made. It is silver-plated and acid does not affect it unless the surface is scratched up. The weight is the marvelous point of the deception. The counterfeit as it stands would pass in size easily, and its weight would not be detected on any but fine scales. The date upon it is 1878.

Everything about Sanford's Radical Cure for Catarrh invites confidence. It is the prescription of one of our ablest physicians, and is prepared by one of the largest and most reliable drug houses in the United States.—*Boston Herald.*

A great change for the better has been wrought in the Opera House. Lewis Maeder, a scene painter of ability, has repainted the drop curtain, which now presents a very attractive appearance. In the foreground on the left of the curtain is a female figure of heroic size, gazing over a wide expanse of lake and mountain. The colors and perspective are both good and the general effect excellent.

Pocket and family Bibles at the People's Drug and Book Store.

Some one entered the barn of H. H. Hughes, now living on the Samuel Shaffer farm, on Saturday night last and stole a riding bridle and saddle, the latter having J. E. cut on the side of it, collar, choke strap, two horse brushes, a halter, tie strap, lash whip, a buggy whip and two hame straps. Mr. Hughes offers a reward of $25,00 for the return of the property and conviction of the thief.

Husband, beware! Eli Perkins' tickets only admit yourself and wife—YOUR OWN WIFE.

The fellow, who, by mistake, sent his auburn-haired sweetheart instead of a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, a bottle of hairdye, wants to know the best way to commit suicide.

The teachers' institute will begin, in Normal Hall, next Monday and continue during the week.

"A lady had the flesh eaten off her arm by scrofula. Could see the sinews working. 'Lindsey's Blood Searcher' cured her." J. Ralston, Elderton, Pa. dec.

Mr. William Brobst and Miss Laura Rupert were married by Rev. Louis Zahner, on Tuesday evening, at the rectory.

If you wish to laugh 100 times in 60 minutes, go and hear Eli Perkins at the Opera House, December 15.

Rev. Mr. Donohue of the M. E. Church went to Baltimore last Saturday to attend the funeral of a niece. His pulpit was filled Sunday morning by Rev. D. J. Waller Sr., and in the evening by Prof. Curran.

No more small pox in Orangeville, but it has left me with a large stock of Fall, Winter and Millinery Goods on hand, which I intend to sell at ten per cent less than they can be purchased for anywhere else in the county, in order not to carry them over. So bring in your cash and produce and secure the greatest bargains of your life.
Nov. 25-tf C. W. LOW.

On Thursday last the Sheriff sold the following properties:

Two tracts of land in Orange township, the property of Isaiah P. Rice, sold to Wm. Lloyd for $100. A house and lot in Bloomsburg, the property of Richard B. Menagh sold to C. G. Barkley for $370.

Other properties will be sold to-morrow.

8 colleges, 20 clergymen, 300 lecture associations and 500 newspapers endorse Eli Perkins.

Mr. W. O. Holmes met with an accident on Monday morning last, while driving under the trestle work near the bridge at Rupert. The king-bolt of the buggy came out as he was going at considerable speed, and he was thrown head long to the ground. Fortunately for him, the mud was very deep and he thus escaped serious bruises. He was literally covered with mud, even his pockets being filled. The horse ran over into the grove and subsequently trotted up to Mr. Holmes and stopped. The buggy was demoralized.

The largest and finest assortment of Christmas cards at the People's Drug and Book Store.

The gifted young actress, Miss Julia A. Hunt is booked to appear at the Opera House on the evening of December 30th, in the romantic drama, "Florinel." Of the piece, the *Press* says: "'Florinel' is a play of more than average merit, holding the attention of the audience to the end." Of the actress, the *News* says: "Miss Julia A. Hunt is gifted with rare artistic powers. Her comedy and her pathos are alike delightful; her singing is charming, and she cannot fail to become a great popular favorite."

Examine your tickets for the 15th, and be sure that Eli Perkins's name is on.

James Kisner was arrested by Constable Harris, on Saturday night, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He got into a fight with a man named Long, and subsequently raised a row in Gilmore's saloon. When found by the Constable he had stripped off most of his clothing. As Long was in the lock-up, Kisner was taken to jail, but Sheriff Ent declined to keep him as there was no commitment. Kisner is already bound over for his appearance at the present term of court for fighting.

If you never laughed in your life, go and hear Eli Perkins, December 15th, at the Opera House. Eli Perkins entertains everybody.

The month of November, just passed, was one of the most remarkable on record, especially in respect to phenomena of vegetation. There were, during the month, many instances of trees laden with ripe fruit, and at the same time covered with the blossoms common to spring. Isaac Appleby living near Monticello, N. Y., avers that he picked ripe strawberries in a meadow on his farm in November, and that as late as the middle of the month dandelions were in bloom in his fields. Violets were found in the field near a New Jersey town, and the pastures afforded more food for cattle than ever before so late in the season.

People will bear in mind that our prices this year for all Christmas goods are the same as last year. Quick sales and small profits. People's Drug and Book Store.

A pretty little device for window decoration is a sponge suspended by a fancy cord. Dampen the sponge and sprinkle flax, mustard or other seed over it. This seed will germinate, and the result will be a mass of beautiful green. The sponge can be washed and replenished with seed when decay takes place. A handsome mantel ornament can be prepared by filling a goblet about two-thirds full of water, and placing on the water a layer of cotton. Upon the cotton sprinkle grains of wheat, oats or other cereal seeds. In a few days the seeds will sprout, shooting downward into the water a myriad of tiny roots, and upwards numerous green spears.

A large assortment of mirrors and combs in sets at the People's Drug and Book Store.

Every human creature of sound mind and discretion, who listens to the whole of Eli Perkins' lecture without laughing, will be presented with a chromo, valued at $5. Parties of six who sit the lecture out will be given a house and lot.

There ought to be a better lock-up in Bloomsburg. The present small building is unfit for the incarceration of prisoners, and the town authorities should make instant provision for the purchase of a better one. It would perhaps be well to buy the old jail building, and transfer to it the council room. There are large cells for the reception of prisoners and in sufficient number to satisfy any demand that would be made ordinarily. At present, if two men are arrested for fighting, it would be obviously improper to place them together in the single small room of the lock-up, where they might beat each other terribly during the night. The matter is of enough importance to demand consideration and action.

Come and examine the Christmas goods at the People's Drug and Book Store before purchasing elsewhere. Finest selection in town.

On Thirty Days Trial.

We will send Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belts and other Electric Appliances on trial for thirty days to young men and older persons who are afflicted with nervous debility, lost vitality, etc., guaranteeing speedy relief and complete restoration of vigor and manhood. Also for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Paralysis, Liver and Kidney difficulties, Ruptures and many other diseases. Illustrated pamphlet sent free. Address Voltaic Belt Co., Marshall, Michigan.
Oct. 28, '81-1y

FOR SALE.—A three-horse power steam engine and boiler, in good condition. Suitable for running a printing press or other light machinery. Inquire at this office. tf

The trial of Fred. Smith of Catawissa for violation of the liquor laws has occupied the time of the court since Wednesday morning. There is a large number of witnesses, mostly young men under twenty one years of age. The case is still on trial as we go to press and comments are out of order.

Just received, at the People's Drug and Book Store, a large assortment of hanging lamps for Christmas presents.

AN IMPORTANT DISCOVERY

Has been made whereby a successful vegetable combination has been introduced, which acts upon the bowels, the liver and the kidneys, and at the same time imparts strength and vitality to the entire system. Burdock Blood Bitters constitute this important discovery. Price $1.00, trial size 10 cents.

Warren J. Woodward, son of the late Judge Woodward formerly Judge of this district and afterwards of the Supreme Court, was found dead in bed at his home in Reading on Monday, with a bullet in his brain. He was but thirty years of age and a young man of brilliant promise. For some time past he had been in poor health and this it is thought impelled him in a fit of depression to take his own life. There are many in Bloomsburg who will remember him as a child.

Perkins will be at the Opera House on Thursday evening, December 15th and will talk about the "Philosophy of Fun" and "The Perkins Family."

We ask you to read the advertisement of Darby's Prophylactic Fluid, which appears in our issue of to-day. It is a wonderful healing remedy, a most powerful disinfectant, and a positive germ destroyer, and is perfectly safe to use even in the hands of the most inexperienced. It is highly recommended by eminent physicians and chemists, and endorsed by hundreds of others who have used it and know its valuable properties. It costs but a trifle, and will save much suffering, time and money. Darby's Fluid has long been recognized as a household article for universal family use. Prepared by J. H. Zeilin & Co., Manufacturing Chemists, Sole Proprietors.

Executors' and administrators' account books, containing full instructions how to settle an estate, receipts, &c., for sale at this office. These are the most convenient books of the kind ever printed, and they are in use all over the State. t-f

On Tuesday morning last the Bar of Columbia county was augmented by three new members, to-wit, H. V. White, a student in the office of Col. Freeze, J. C. Yocum, a student of Hon. C. R. Buckalew's, and A. Clarence Freas, who studied with E. R. Ikeler Esq. The committee appointed by the court to examine the applicants consisted of E. H. Little, Col. S. Knorr, and C. G. Barkley Esqrs. The candidates passed very creditable examinations, and as they are all young men of excellent qualities we predict for them success in their profession. Mr. White has entered into partnership with Col. Freeze and has purchased the large and valuable law library of that gentleman.

Anything not in stock will be ordered and procured at the lowest prices at the People's Drug and Book Store.

Moyer Bros.' drug store barely escaped destruction by fire on Monday morning. Plumbers were at work in the cellar putting in a new gas meter, and neglected to turn off the gas at the street. The stream of gas from the service pipe was ignited by the plumber's lamp. An alarm of fire was given and the Winona boys made their appearance within five minutes with their hose carriage, but their services were not needed, as the flame was extinguished by wrapping a coat around the end of the gas pipe, and throwing water on it with the hose in the cellar. But for the presence of a hydrant there, the building must have burned. As it was, Charles Earth, the plumber, had both of his hands severely burned in his efforts to smother the flames. The burning of this fine establishment would have been a great loss to the town.

DEAF AS A POST.

Mrs. W. J. Lang, Bethany, Ont., states that for fifteen months she was troubled with a disease in the ear, causing entire deafness. In ten minutes after using Thomas' Eclectric Oil she found relief, and in a short time she was entirely cured and her hearing restored.

Fire Department Election.

In accordance with the constitution of the Bloomsburg Fire Department, the officers for the ensuing year will be chosen on Monday evening December 19th, at the Town Council room, between the hours of six and eight o'clock. The election is conducted by an inspector to be elected from each company, the President of the Town Council acting as judge, all to be sworn to a faithful performance of duty. The Secretary of each company is required to give to the Secretary of the Fire Board, on or before the second Monday of each year, a certified roll of members, and all are entitled to vote for department officers who have been members for at least three months, have paid their entrance fee, and are not in arrears for more than that time.

Go and hear Perkins, the author, the philosopher, the orator and the greatest humorist on the American platform.

There is no earthly reason for the continued existence of Fellowes and Searles' New York Minstrels, who gave an exhibition at the Opera House, last Monday evening. They are deplorably bad in almost every respect. The first part of their programme was made up of poor singing, moss-grown jokes, and silly chatter without humor or point. The performers did not know their stage business or cues, and the result was the dreariest performance we ever saw. The only redeeming points were some fair clog dancing and the jig-dancing of Master Dundreary, a smart boy. If this troupe holds together much longer, it will be a matter of wonder. That it ought, nobody who has seen the alleged entertainment will admit.

Personal.

Hon. C. R. Buckalew is convalescent.

Mr. N. W. Barton, left town on Monday for a business trip.

Mr. Luther Jones was visiting at Allentown recently.

James Scarlet Esq., District-Attorney-elect of Montour county, was in town this week, attending court.

Rev. C. E. Fessenden, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, Catawissa, has resigned and gone to Summit Hill to accept the rectorship of the church in that place.

Rev. D. J. Waller, Principal of the Bloomsburg State Normal School, will attend the meeting of the Wayne county Teachers' Institute to be held at Honesdale in the first week of January.

W. A. Marr and J. H. James of Ashland, I. X. Grier and W. J. Baldy of Danville, J. M. C. Ranck of Scranton, were among the attorneys from other counties having business in court this week.

Mrs. F. P. Howe, formerly Miss Woodward, daughter of the late Judge Woodward, is reported to be very ill at her home in Danville.

Peter Gross made his appearance up-town on Wednesday afternoon after an illness of about ten days.

Go to the People's Drug and Book Store for your Christmas presents.

The following are the evening entertainments during the county institute next week, to be held in the hall of the Normal School:

Tuesday evening, "The Commencement Exercises of the Ompompanvosic Academy," L. E. Patridge.

Wednesday evening, "Old Times and New," Col. Sanford.

Thursday evening, "Echoes from Round Top; The Story of a Great Battle," Rev. Jesse Bowman Young.

Hon. Henry Houck, Deputy Superintendens of Public Instructions, Harrisburg, says of Col. Sanford:

No lecturer is more popular in Pennsylvania than Col. J. P. Sanford. He has appeared before many lyceums and teachers, institutes a third and fourth time. He never disappoints an audience.

D. K. Sloan & Son of Orangeville have re-opened their store for business, and have marked down their stock 15 per cent. lower than can be bought elsewhere. To prove that their goods are free from contagion they have secured the following certificate, signed by Drs. B. F. Gardner and O. A. Mc-gargell:

The undersigned physicians attending the family of D. K. Sloan during the prevalence of small pox, would state that we did not change our clothing in the store, nor was there any communication between the house and store by which the goods would be infected and we believe them to be entirely free from contagion.

There are now no cases of small pox in Orangeville, and it is believed that all danger of a return is passed.

The bonds of the county officers-elect have nearly all been filled and recorded. W. Krickbaum, Prothonotary, has I. S. Kuhn, D. Lowenberg and Joshua Fetterman as bondsmen. Joshua Fetterman, County Commissioner, has D. Lowenberg and M. G. Hughes on his bond. Frank Wolf and E. L. Lemmon are the securities of B. F. Edgar, and Chas. Reichart has G. A. Herring and C. M. Vanderslice on his bond. The bond of the Prothonotary is in the total sum of $15,000. Those of the commissioners are each $2,000. The treasurer's bond to the county is for $10,000 and one to the State is for $30,000. His securities are G. A. Herring, D. A. Munson and Elias George. The bonds of G. W. Sterner, Register and Recorder, amount to $15,333,00 and his securities are T. J. Vanderslice Sr., E. R. Ikeler and Ira Davenport.

The great superiority of DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP over all other cough remedies is attested by the immense popular demand for that old established remedy.

DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP

For the Cure of Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Incipient Consumption and for the relief of Consumptive persons in advanced stages of the Disease. For Sale by Druggists.—Price, 25 cents.

Nov. 4, '81-6m

Business Notices

SELLING OUT! !

The undersigned will sell until the first of January, on account of moving his store, his stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware &c, &c. at greatly reduced prices. All goods warranted as represented. Articles engraved free of charge. L. Bernhard.

Just received, bronze plum, black and other colored silks. Prices correct.
Clark & Son.

C. C. Marr has the finest assortment of Christmas Goods in town.

You will go and I will go to I. W. Hartman's to examine his Christmas goods.

Mrs. B——, that black and brown plush for coats will be in to-day. Clark & Son.

Mrs. Smith to Mrs. Brown: "Were you going to I. W. Hartman's?" "No, but I intend going, for they say he has the greatest variety of Christmas goods ever brought to Bloomsburg."

Our straw fancy basket department is now complete to select from with a great variety of kalamedia ware. Clark & Son.

Who would have thought such a Bazaar as I. W. Hartman has, could ever have been sustained in Bloomsburg?

Go to C. C. Marr's for E. Butterick's Dress Patterns for December.

Over one hundred dozen silk and linen handkerchiefs from 5 cents to $3.50 at
Clark & Son's.

Christmas presents are not numbered by the hundreds at I. W. Hartman's but by the thousands. Call early in the day.

I. W. Hartman has turned his store upside down and the Christmas presents have fallen on the top. Go and see them.

Largest line of zephyrs and wool yarns at
Clark & Son's.

C. C. Marr buys Corn, Oats, Potatoes, Dried Fruit, Dried Corn, Chickens, Turkeys, Butter, Eggs &c.

"Well, well," said an old lady, the other day, "I never did see so many nice Christmas presents in my life as I. W. Hartman has. I intend buying a lot of them for my grandchildren."

We have a few ladies' hats and bonnets we will sell way below cost. Clark & Son.

Fathers and mothers, make your children happy by buying a Christmas present at I. W. Hartman's.

Call at C. C. Marr's for Christmas Presents for your friends.

Coats and dolmans and cloths to make up with plushes to trim. Clark & Son.

Lutz & Sloan have a large assortment of shawls, coats and dolmans, furs, dress goods, skirts and other goods suitable for Christmas presents that will be sure to please your friends.

Gentlemen's dressing cases, ladies' work baskets and Japanese handkerchief cases for sale at Clark's Book Store.

You can buy the Columbia wools at Clark & Son's at 9 cents per ounce and up.

A large assortment of bracelets, neck chains, breast pins, ear rings, finger rings, and other jewelry suitable for Christmas presents at Lutz & Sloan's.

The best $2.00 blankets out, with better grades at Clark & Son's.

For Holiday books for the young, go to Clark's Book Store.

More ladies' coats and dolmans at Lutz & Sloan's this week.

Ladies' wool hoods and leggings, children's hand knit coats, &c., at Clark & Son's.

Autograph albums at Clark's Book Store.

Remember that Lutz & Sloan's is the place to get furs.

Theodore Garrison will show the 5 cent counter, rear end of Annex. Clark & Son.

A fine assortment of photograph albums at G. A. Clark's.

Great reduction in prices at the store of Lilley & Sleppy, at Lightstreet.

Call at Moyer Bros. and see Little Dick.

Single and double broche shawls at Lutz & Sloan's.

Don't forget we have a great variety of fancy goods to sell you. Clark & Son.

Poetical and historical works of the best and most popular authors at G. A. Clark's.

A large and well selected assortment of slippers for ladies and gentlemen, just received at F. D. Dentler's.

Jewel baskets and a new lot of jewelry to put in them at Clark & Son's.

Double blanket shawls at Lutz & Sloan's. Price $2.50 to $7.00.

Moyer Bros. have a splendid assortment of Christmas goods and are determined to sell them—at least we judge so from the low prices they ask.

We have made another reduction in Winter Clothing. Come and see how cheap we are selling. L. Gross, N. Y. Store.

Music rolls, music folios, and music binders at G. A. Clark's.

Cash paid for calves, chickens, turkeys, geese, ducks, dried fruit, butter and eggs, by Lilley & Sleppy, Lightstreet.

Beaver Overcoats reduced from $11.00 to $8.00 at Gross' N. Y. Store, Bloom.

Albertypes of beautiful designs at Clark's Book Store.

The nobbiest stock of gentleman's neckwear in town can be found at F. D. Dentler's.

10,000 dozen good fresh eggs and 10,000 pounds good fresh butter wanted by Silas Young, at Light Street, for which he will pay the highest market price. aug 26-4m.

"It stands at the head"—the light running Domestic. For sale by W. H. Yetter, office corner Main and Market streets, Bloomsburg, Pa. Also agent for the celebrated Ithaca organs, fully guaranteed by the manufacturers for 10 years. nov. 18-tf

It is worth while to stop at Moyer Bros', store just to look at their collection of Christmas goods. They have certainly exercised great taste in selecting the articles and the wonder is, that they can sell them at such low rates.

The largest stock of Winter Clothing for men and boys at Gross' N. Y. Store, Bloom.

Lots of ladies coats latest styles and fashions from 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 10.00, to 12.00 at Silas Young's Light Street. nov. 11 3-m

For gold pens and pencils and gold tooth picks, go to Clark's in Exchange building.

David Lowenberg would inform the public that he has just returned from
New York
with a full line of Ready Made Clothing Cloths and Cassimeres of the best quality and latest style.
Hats, Caps, also a full line of
Novelties for Fall and Winter
and would invite an early inspection
of the same.

Alphabet blocks and building blocks at G. A. Clark's.

A full line of ladies', misses and children's Arctic overshoes, now on hand at F. D. Dentler's.

1,000 good hive calves wanted. Let them come from the north, south, east and west by wholesale and retail. You can bring your good calves right along now any time on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of each and every week and get your cash or goods for them at Silas Young's Light Street. july 15 '81 6-m

Among the thousands of novelties recently added to the stock of Moyer Bros., are brushes of all kinds and grades, choice toilet articles, soaps, cosmetics, perfumery and countless ornamental rifles admirably adapted for Christmas presents. Nickel plated student lamps are offered at very low rates, as are also parlor lamps of every conceivable pattern.

The BICYCLE SHIRT can only be obtained at
David Lowenberg's.

Decorated panels at G. A. Clark's.

4,000 pounds of nice pitted Cherries, 4,000 pounds of nice Dried Raspberries wanted by Silas Young at Light Street, for which he will pay the highest market price.
july 15 6-m.

Did you examine Gross' heavy Winter Suits for $7.00.

Did you see that heavy, all wool overcoat at Gross' N. Y. Store for $4.00.

Japanese trays, paper weights and cut glass inkstands at Clark's Book Store.

See a woman picking a bunch of grapes in another column, at Speer's Vineyards, from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession for the use of invalids, weakly persons and the aged. For sale by C. A. Kleim.
jan 7 '81 1-y

The finest line of Ready-made Clothing in The County can now be seen at David Lowenberg's Clothing Store.

Christmas cards and prize cards at G. A. Clark's.

Gentlemen's collars, cuffs, shirts, &c., at F. D. Dentler's, also a beautiful collection of scarfs.

Moyer Bros. desire to call special attention to their assortment of ladies' and gentlemen's toilet dressing cases in celluloid, diatite and hard rubber. These are really beautiful, and very suitable for Christmas presents. The same may be said of Moyer Bros'. stock of fancy cut glass bottles, shaving mugs, puff boxes, baby rattles &c. The store was never as well supplied with holiday goods—and the quality of the goods is unusually fine.

Pretty suits for Children just arrived
Neat Suits for Boys
Stylish Suits for Youths
all of the Latest Style and Best quality,
at the lowest prices can now be bought at the Popular Clothing Store of
David Lowenberg.

Headquarters for Satchels, Trunks &c. at D. Lowenberg's.

Best needles, oil, attachments, &c., for all sewing machines, at W. H. Yetter's office, corner Main and Market streets, opposite I. W. Hartman's store. nov. 18-tf

Cheaper and better Clothing can now be bought at
The old Popular Store of David Lowenberg.

4,000 pounds of nice dried apples wanted by Silas Young at Light Street, for which he will pay the highest market price.
nov 11 3-m

No larger or better stock of boots, shoes, slippers, gentlemen's furnishing goods &c., is to be found in Bloomsburg than at F. D. Dentler's.

I have just received an immense stock of Hats and Caps very cheap at L. Gross' N. Y. Store.

Calico and muslin at 5 cents a yard, gingham 8 cents, cottonade 10 cents, and everything else to correspond, at Lilley & Sleppy's, Lightstreet.

I will guarantee my prices 25 per cent. cheaper than any other establishment in the county. L. Gross, N. Y. Clothier.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ADAM ROAT, DECEASED.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Adam Roat, late of the township of Madison, Columbia co. Penn'a., deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to James Kisner, executor. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned executor without delay.
C. W. MILLER, Attorney. JAMES KISNER, Executor.
NOV. 18 6-w

B—BEATTY'S PIANOFORTES—MAGnificent holiday presents; square grand pianofortes, 7 ur very handsome round corners, rosewood cases, three unisons, Beatty's matchless iron frames, stool, book, cover, boxed, $222.75 to $397.50; catalogue prices, $5 0 to $800; satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded after one year's use; upright pianofortes $ 25 to $326; catalogue prices $500 to $900; standard pianofortes of the universe, as thousands testify; write for a mammoth list of testimonials. Beatty's cabinet organs, cathedral, church chapel, parlor, $30 upward; visitors welcome; free carriage meets passengers; illustrated catalogue (holiday edition) free. Address or call upon DANIEL F. BEATTY, Washington, N. J., d nov. 18-4w

HOLMES & SCHUYLER

CUTLERY.

Everybody seems surprised at the extent of our stock of Cutlery. In no store in the county can such a variety of patterns be seen. In Scissors and Shears we have all sizes and at various prices according to quality, the better grades being our specialty. Pocket knives any quality from 10 cents to 4.50 each. The large quantities of fine Razors we sell is a strong reccommendation as to their superiority. A lady's pride is her table and nothing adds more to its attraction than a handsome set of knives and forks, our line is large, new patterns and low prices for reliable goods.

We have just opened a handsome line of carving knives and forks, new designs with patent rests, prices from 50 cents to 4.50 per pair. Call and see them.

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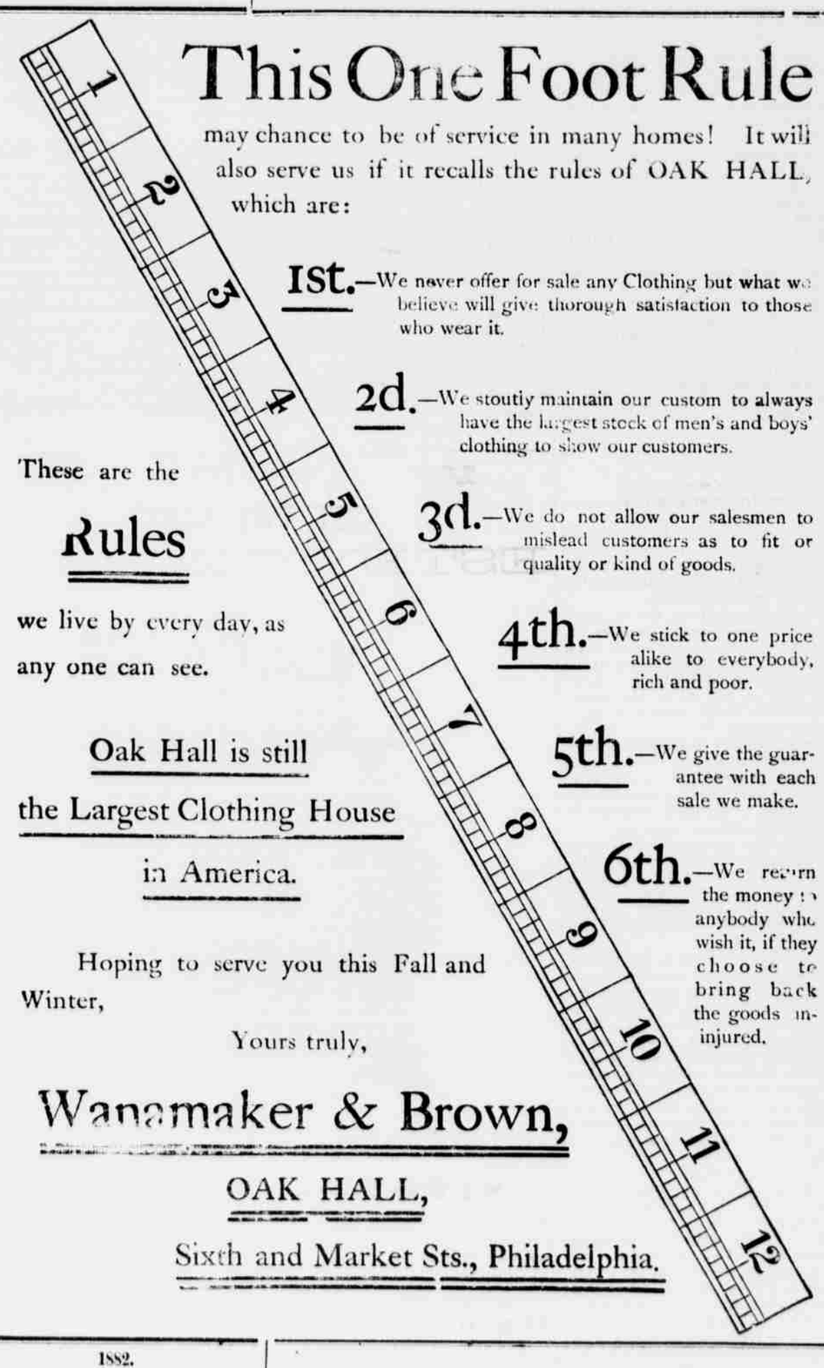
STOVES.

Cold weather is near at hand and already many are looking around for stoves. The manufacturers have been over-crowded with orders, and it is almost impossible to get them. We have already received several and are daily adding to our stock. Owing to the universal satisfaction the Argand has given we still keep it as our leading base heating stove, and if you wish to see a perfect beauty call and look at this year's pattern; a little high in price it's true, but in this age the people demand handsome stoves and the more handsome they are the more they cost. We have a variety of other very nice stoves at prices within the reach of all. The Gold Medal is the largest and handsomest base heating stove for the money brought to this town. In 1879 we introduced Spear's new Silver Moon Heater for heating two or more rooms and owing to the great satisfaction they have given, our trade has steadily increased on them. We warrant every one to give perfect satisfaction and have got to hear the first word of complaint or take one back. For ease of management, economy of fuel, great draft and radiating powers, they stand without an equal. Our long experience together with that of Mr. Isaiah Hagenbuch, who has charge of our Stove and Tinware Department, has enabled us to study the wants of the people and make our selections accordingly. We cordially invite all in want of Stoves to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere, and examine our stock which we shall consider no trouble to show you. Stove repairs of all kinds furnished to order, grates and fire brick for the common cook stoves constantly on hand.

HOLMES & SCHUYLER.



This One Foot Rule

may chance to be of service in many homes! It will also serve us if it recalls the rules of OAK HALL, which are:

1st.—We never offer for sale any Clothing but what we believe will give thorough satisfaction to those who wear it.

2d.—We stoutly maintain our custom to always have the largest stock of men's and boys' clothing to show our customers.

3d.—We do not allow our salesmen to mislead customers as to fit or quality or kind of goods.

4th.—We stick to one price alike to everybody, rich and poor.

5th.—We give the guarantee with each sale we make.

6th.—We return the money to anybody who wish it, if they choose to bring back the goods uninjured.

These are the **Rules** we live by every day, as any one can see.

Oak Hall is still the Largest Clothing House in America.

Hoping to serve you this Fall and Winter,

Yours truly,

Wanamaker & Brown,

OAK HALL,

Sixth and Market Sts., Philadelphia.

1882.

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ILLUSTRATED.

This popular journal is a rare combination of literature, art, and fashion. Its stories, poems and essays are by the best writers of Europe and America; its engravings possess the highest artistic excellence; and in all matters pertaining to fashion it is universally acknowledged to be the leading authority in the land. The new volume will contain many brilliant novelties.

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MORNING LIGHT,
DOUBLE HEATER.

C. C. GALIGNAN,
BLOOMSBURG.

About Winter Layers.

A Philadelphia *Record* correspondent writes: "Which is is the best fowl for laying in winter? It is often asked. Our reply is always that it is the fowl with the warmest quarters and good food. But as this is not what is desired to be known, the question cannot be evaded. We have tried this thing of experimenting for winter layers and 'a few,' as the detectives say has been found.

The first requisite is early hatching and early maturity. But as we are not able to make our hens lay and set early, we may not be fortunate enough to get early hatched pullets for a succeeding season. We can get early maturity, however, in the breed, and if we can have fowls matured before winter sets in, we will have eggs in winter, that is if we have been liberal in feeding them.

How can we get early maturity in the Brahma or Cochin? says an inquirer. If the object is eggs, and the purity of the breed undesirable, cross them with a Leghorn cock. Such a cross is an admirable one. We have known pullets of this cross to commence laying in October and keep it up until moulting time the succeeding year. The cross reduces the Brahma size, injuring them somewhat as market chicks, but imparting a greater degree of vigor and stamina than is possessed by the parents.

The Plymouth Rocks are good winter layers, but unless they are bred carefully, will disappoint those who try them. Being a "mad" breed, if bred in-and-in, they revert more or less to their originals, and each succeeding season finds them less prolific and less remunerative. Every one who desires good results from Plymouth Rocks should change the cocks annually, by procuring new ones from yards at a distance, thus preventing relationship.

Among the several good crosses, excepting the use of the Leghorn, which lays at the age of five months, we can rely on a cross of the Dominick and the Brahma, the Houdan and the Cochin, and the Plymouth Rock with the common fowl. A cross will invigorate the stock in any yard, but in no case use a mongrel for a sire. The hens may be mongrels, if desired, but the cock should be of the best and purest strain.

To get eggs in winter a perfect system of cleanliness should be practiced. The droppings should be frequently removed and preserved for future use, and while it is necessary to have the quarters warm and the fowls protected against the ingress of cold draughts, care must be taken to have ventilation. A crack in the boards, no matter how small, will give a whole flock the roup, and filthy quarters and roosts will promote a successful sweeping off by the cholera.

The food should be varied. Soft food in the morning and whole grain at night is better than the usual irregularities practised. A cheap mess can be prepared for a morning meal by running hay through a fodder cutter, steeping it over night, and after giving it a warming in the morning, thicken with meal, and feed on boards or any other clean place.

It is wasteful to feed cracked corn, or even screenings. Though seemingly cheaper than whole grains, the difference will be apparent if a comparison is made. Avoid overfeeding or too much fat. A fat hen—one extremely so—is as useless as one that has been insufficiently fed. A moderate, changeable diet, with good warm quarters, plenty of cracked oyster shells and some meat scraps from time to time, will give eggs in abundance in winter; but like all other stock on the farm, poultry, in order to be profitable, must receive personal supervision and care.

Kind Treatment of Horses.

It has been observed by experienced horse trainers that naturally vicious horses are rare, and among those that are properly trained and kindly treated when colts, they are the exceptions.

It is superfluous to say that a gentle and docile horse is always the more valuable, other qualities being equal, and it is almost obvious that gentle treatment tends to develop this admirable quality in the horse as well as in the human species, while harsh treatment has a contrary tendency.

Horses have been trained so as to be entirely governed by the words of their driver, and they will obey and perform their simple but important duties with as much alacrity as the child obeys the directions of the parent.

It is true that all horses are not equally intelligent and tractable, but it is probable that there is less difference among them in this regard than there is among human masters, since there are many incitements and ambitions among men that do not affect animals.

The horse learns to know and to have confidence in a gentle driver, and soon discovers how to secure for himself that which he desires, and to understand his surroundings and his duties. The tone, volume and inflection of his master's voice indicate much, perhaps more than the words that are spoken. Soothing tones rather than words calm him if excited by fear or anger, and angry and excited tones tend to excite or anger him. In short, bad masters make bad horses.

Winter dairying is profitable business in many localities, but it needs a careful and thoughtful hand to take charge of the work. Very much depends upon regularity of milking, feeding, and all work about the stables. Work horses need the best of care, and even those that are idle during the winter will suffer from lack of attention. They should have a run in the yard, but any violent exercise upon the frozen and slippery ground may cause lasting injuries. Colts during their first winter need special attention, as they are, or should be, growing rapidly, and the colt is father to the horse. If it is pinched now, the stunted growth will diminish its value during its whole lifetime.

The *Poultry World* says: To utilize the feathers of ducks, chickens and turkeys generally thrown aside as refuse, trim the plume from the stump, enclose them in a tight bag, rub the whole as if washing clothes, and you will secure a perfectly uniform and light down, excellent for quilting coverlets and not a few other purposes.

The latest fish story is about a bass inside of which was found "what was said by one to be a young cat, by another a young tiger, and by a third a young dog." No doubt it was a young tiger. Such animals are often found in bass. It was only two weeks ago that a fifteen pound young hippopotamus was found inside a two pound bass in the Schuylkill. The bass is a very voracious fish, and has been known to chase a sheep across a forty acre field.—*Norristown Herald.*

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Helping the Party.

In the days gone by a Detroit Sheriff who had made a close shave of being elected had the ill luck to lose a prisoner from the jail. The fellow made good his escape to the country, but the Sheriff overhauled him about eight miles out and drove him under a barn. The prisoner was captured and yet he was not. If he could not get out the Sheriff could not get in, and threats had no effect on him. In this emergency the officer called out:

"Say, Jim."

"Yes."

"You know I had a mighty close shave getting this office."

"You did that."

"Well, I'm laying my pipes for a second term. If I lose you I might as well hang up. The opposition will hold it up in letters four feet high and hundreds of men in my own party will slip my name. Do you her me?"

"I do."

"Well, I ask you to come out, not exact'y as a prisoner going back to jail, but more as a patriot bound to stand by his party. Come, Jim."

"I'll be hanged if I don't!" replied the prisoner. "The judge was ag'in me, my sentence was unjust and I hate your jail, but if it's going to help the party and crush the hydra-headed opposition, out I come!"

Some years ago there were a number of army officers stopping at a hotel in Washington. Among them were a Captain Emerson and a Captain Jones. Emerson and Jones used to have a good deal of fun together at the dinner-table and elsewhere. One day at the dinner-table when the dining-hall was well filled, Captain Jones finished his dinner first, got up, and walked almost to the dining-hall door, when Emerson called to him in a loud voice: "Hallo, captain! see here. I want to speak to you a minute." The captain turned and walked back to the table and bent over him, when Emerson whispered: "I wanted to ask you how far you would have gone if I had not spoken to you." The captain never changed a muscle, but straightened up and put his finger into his vest pocket and said: "Captain Emerson, I don't know of a man in the world I would rather lend $5 than to you, but the fact is I haven't a cent with me today," and he turned on his heel and walked away. Emerson was the color of a dozen rainbows, but he had to stand it.—*Texas Shiftings.*

Not long ago in one of the Paris police courts, a workman accused of stealing a pair of trousers was discharged after a long and patient investigation, on the ground that there was not sufficient evidence to establish his guilt. He remained seated, however, on the prisoner's bench after his acquittal had been announced. The lawyer who had conducted his defense, observing that he did not move, informed him that he was free to go about his business, if he had any. He shook his head slightly, but did not budge. By this time, no other case being on hand, the court was nearly empty. Again addressing him, his defender inquired with some irritation, "why the deuce he did not get up and go?" "Stop this way a moment please," replied the steadfast sitter, "and let me whisper in your ear. "I can't go until all the witnesses for the prosecution have left the court." "And why, may I ask?" "Because of the stolen trousers—don't you understand. What about the trousers?" "Only this, I've got 'em on!"

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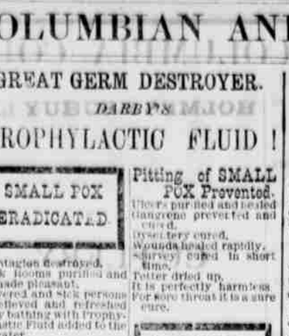

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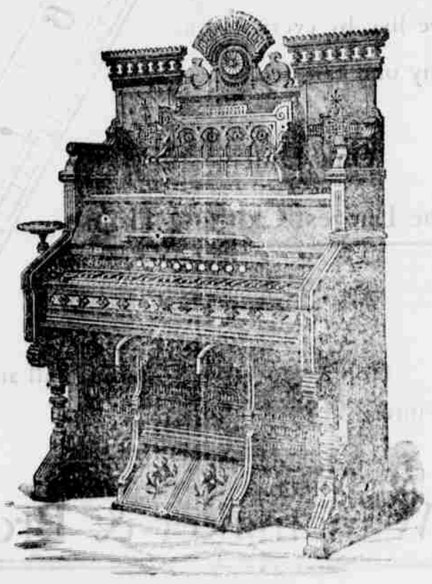

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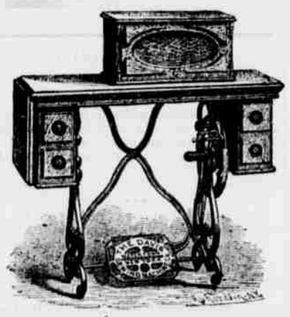

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"	"	Harrisburg	4 25 a m
"	"	Sunbury	6 30 a m
"	"	Williamsport	8 40 a m
"	"	Lock Haven	9 40 a m
"	"	Renovo	11 05 a m
"	"	Kane	3 50 p m
"	arrive at	Erie	7 45 p m
Niagara Express leaves	Philadelphia		8 00 a m
"	"	Harrisburg	12 15 p m
"	"	Sunbury	1 50 p m
"	"	Williamsport	3 25 p m
"	"	Lock Haven	4 20 p m
"	"	Renovo	5 45 p m
Fast Line leaves	Philadelphia		12 10 p m
"	"	Harrisburg	4 00 p m
"	"	Sunbury	6 10 p m
"	"	Williamsport	8 05 p m
"	arrive at	Lock Haven	9 10 p m
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Lock Haven Express	leaves	Lock Haven	7 50 a m
"	"	Williamsport	9 05 a m
"	"	Sunbury	10 10 a m
"	arrive at	Harrisburg	12 55 p m
"	"	Philadelphia	5 15 p m
Fast Line	leaves	Canandaigua	7 05 p m
"	"	Watkins	8 40 p m
"	"	Elmira	9 50 p m
"	"	Williamsport	12 15 a m
"	"	Sunbury	1 32 a m
"	arrives at	Harrisburg	3 15 a m
"	"	Philadelphia	7 00 a m
Day Express	leaves	Kane	6 00 a m
"	"	Renovo	10 05 a m
"	"	Lock Haven	11 15 a m
"	arrive at	Harrisburg	12 15 p m
"	"	Philadelphia	7 05 p m
Erie Mail	leaves	Erie	11 35 a m
"	"	Kane	4 10 p m
"	"	Renovo	9 00 p m
"	"	Lock Haven	10 10 p m
"	"	Williamsport	11 30 p m
"	"	Sunbury	1 05 a m
"	arrives at	Harrisburg	3 00 a m
"	"	Philadelphia	7 00 a m

Erie Mail west and Lock Haven Express East make close connections at Northumberland with L. & B. R. R. trains for Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

Erie Mail West, Niagara Express West and Fast Line West make close connection at Williamsport with N. C. R. W. trains north.

Niagara Express West and Day Express East make close connection at Lock Haven with P. E. V. R. R. trains.

Erie Mail East and West connect at Erie with trains on L. S. & M. S. R. R.; at Corry with B. P. & W. R. R.; at Emporium with B. N. Y. & P. R. R. and at Driftwood with A. V. R. R.

Parlor cars will run between Philadelphia and Williamsport on Niagara Express west, and Day Express East. Sleeping cars on all night trains.

ROBERT NEILSON, General Supt.

NORTHERN CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY.

On and after January 17th, 1881, trains will leave Sunbury as follows:

NORTHWARD.		
Northern Express 6.30 a. m.	arrive Elmira	12.30 p m
	Arrive at Canandaigua	3.25 p. "
	" Rochester	4.40 "
	" Niagara	8.45 "
Niagara Express 1.05 p. m.	arrive Elmira	6.05 p. m
	arrive Canandaigua	8.30 "
	" Rochester	9.45 "
	" Niagara	12.50 a m
Past line 6.10 p m	arrive Elmira	11.05 p m
	" Watkins	11.50 p m
SOUTHWARD.		
Southern Express 1.32 a. m.	arrive Harrisb'g	5.15 a m
	arrive Philadelphia	7.35 "
	" New York	10.25 "
	" Baltimore	7.40 "
	" Washington	9.02 a m
Pacific Express 10.00 a m	arrive Harrisb'g	12.05 p m
	arrive Philadelphia	3.45 p m
	" New York	6.25 "
	" Baltimore	6.20 "
	" Washington	7.52 "
Day Express 1.50 p m	arrive Harrisburg	5.15 p m
	" Philadelphia	6.45 "
	" New York	9.30 "
	" Baltimore	6.35 "
	" Washington	7.52 "
Erie Mail 1.05 a. m.	arrive Harrisburg	3.05 a. m
	" Philadelphia	7.35 "
	" New York	10.15 "
	" Baltimore	7.20 "
	" Washington	9.02 "

L. P. PARMER, General Passenger Agent.
FRANK THOMSON, General Manager.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING ROAD ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

November 7th, 1881.

TRAINS LEAVE RUPERT AS FOLLOWS (SUNDAY EXCEPTED)

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville Tamaqua, &c., 11,45 a. m

For Catawissa, 11,45 a. m. 6,45 and 7,20 p. m.

For Williamsport, 6,15 8,50 a. m. and 4,06 p. m.

TRAINS FOR RUPERT LEAVE AS FOLLOWS, (SUNDAY EXCEPTED.)

Leave New York, via. Tamanend 8.45 a. m. and via. Bound Brook Route 7,45 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia, 9,45 a. m.

Leave Reading, 11,55 a. m., Pottsville, 12,20 p. m and Tamaqua, 1,35 p. m.

Leave Catawissa, 6,10 8,40 a. m. and 4,00 p. m.

Leave Williamsport, 9,45 a.m, 2,00 p. m. and 4,30 p. m.

Passengers to and from New York, via. Tamanend and to and from Philadelphia go through without change of cars.

J. E. WOOTTEN, General Manager

C. G. HANCOCK, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

Jan. 10, 1881—tf.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

Time-Table No. 3, Takes effect at 4.30 A. M. MONDAY, JUNE 30, 1879.

NORTH. p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	STATIONS.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m
9 50	3 42	9 20	.....Scranton.....	9 10	2 15	6 15
9 44			.....Bellevue.....		2 21	6 19
9 38	3 32	9 07	.....Taylorville..	9 43	2 26	6 24
9 31	3 24	9 00	.....Lackawanna...	9 50	2 34	6 32
9 23	3 15	8 14	.....Pittston.....	9 57	2 40	6 40
9 17	3 09	9 09	.....West Pittston	10 07	2 47	6 48
9 12	3 04	9 04	.....Wyoming.....	10 02	2 52	6 5
			.....Maltby.....		2 54	6 54
			.....Bennett.....		2 58	6 58
9 10	2 51	8 54	.....Kingston.....	10 15	3 03	7 02
9 00	2 45	8 54	.....Kingston.....	10 18	3 03	7 10
	2 31		.....Plymouth Fuln.		3 17	7 17
8 51	2 30	8 46	.....Plymouth.....	10 26	3 12	7 22
	2 23		.....Avondale.....		3 18	7 10
8 42	2 16	8 38	.....Nanticoke.....	10 34	3 24	7 37
8 35	2 03	8 21	.....Hunlock's Creek	10 42	3 32	7 45
8 21	1 45	8 20	.....Shickshinny...	10 58	3 50	8 21
8 08	1 28	8 11	.....Hick's Ferry...	11 07	4 03	8 45
8 01	1 18	8 04	.....Beach Haven...	11 15	4 10	9 00
7 55	1 05	7 58	.....Berwick.....	11 9	4 18	9 10
7 48	12 50		.....Briar Creek....		4 25	8 31
7 44	12 40	7 50	.....Willow Grove...		4 29	8 41
7 40	12 36	7 46	.....Lime Ridge.....		4 33	8 45
7 32	12 24	7 39	.....Espy.....	11 39	4 38	8 54
7 26	12 12	7 33	.....Bloomsburg....	11 45	4 49	9 00
7 20	11 05	7 28	.....Ruport.....	11 5	4 43	9 05
7 15	11 58	7 23	.....Catawissa Bridge.	11 07	5 00	9 18
6 57	12 50	7 05	.....Danville.....	12 18	5 20	9 38
	11 18		.....Chulasky.....		5 18	9 28
6 45	10 10		.....Cameron.....		5 50	9 41
	9 4	6 45	.....Northumberland.	12 45	5 46	9 55
p.m.